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TENTH YEAR

THE A. C. CONFERENCE IS GROWING DAILY

Increases in Number All Along The Line Big Men Address the Assembled Farmers and Housekeepers. Unprecedented Enthusiasm Marks Industrial Meetings.

The Roundup and Housekeepers' meetings held at the Agricultural College on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday continue to draw record breaking crowds the class rooms of the College being incapable of holding the students, they were forced to meet in the stock judging pavilion for the general lectures.

The Registrar's office announces for the first time in the history of the institution that the strictly college attendance has passed the one thousand mark, Miss Louisa Barber being the one thousandth student to register at the institution. The total attendance at the institution is very close to the thirteen hundred mark, being early Thursday morning in the neighborhood of twelve hundred and fifty, with prospects of a rise to a larger number. The discussions continue to be of immense practical value. Prof. Lewis A. Merrill on Thursday talked at considerable length on Dry Farming.

Mr. George Austin, Superintendent of the Utah-Idaho Sugar Company talked on sugar beet growing, giving the present status of the sugar beet industry in the Rocky Mountain states and giving practical advice regarding the culture of the land and the manipulation of the crop.

Dr. Aris conducted a demonstration on sugar beet and forage crops immediately following Mr. Austin's lecture. In the evening Governor William Spry and Supt. A. C. Nelson held forth to a big audience of enthusiastic college students and friends of the institution. Gov. Spry's talk was a practical common sense one dealing with problems that concern the average farmer. He deprecated the move on the part of even the very few who seem to find it necessary to leave the state for profitable investment. He called the attention of his audience to the fact that Utah was the premier state from the standpoint of opportunity. It had passed, in the opinion of the Governor, the time when it was looked upon with aversion but rather had reached the enviable stage of being patterned after by other western states. As the executive of the state there had come to his ears compliment after compliment of the integrity industry, and loyalty of the Utah citizen. He showed that the state was in a period of rapid development and cited a number of reclamation projects which had been carried on for the betterment of the state. His excellent address was well received by the packed house, and very favorably commented upon by the large crowd of representative farmers and housewives assembled.

Supt. Nelson, always a big feature of the state institution confined his remarks to the text "that however rapid development be that no institution can build for all time." He traced the development of Utah's educational institutions from a small one roomed house to its present great dimensions, mentioning the fact that Utah excelled all other states in the value of its school property when we take into account the comparative population. Both Governor Spry and Supt. Nelson roundly applauded the great and strivicable work being done by the Utah Agricultural College. The Governor especially emphasized the excellent organization and results that have attended the Extension work, going emphatically on record in favor of taking the education of the College to the very doors of the people.

Among the out of town people on the stand during the Governor's address were Prof. L. A. Merrill, Director of Extension Work; John Dorn, member of board of trustees; Prest. J. G. McDonald, of the state Fair board; Dean Cummings, of the University of Utah; Other members of the board of trustees present were Hon. Thos. Smart and Hon. John Q. Adams. President Widtsoe presided at the meeting. Thursday and Friday the following addresses were given: Roundup Program—Dry Farming, Lewis A. Merrill; What Dry Farming Has Done

for Juab county, Hon. J. W. Paxman; What Dry Farming Has Done for Cache County, Hon. J. Q. Adams; Wheat Improvement, Mr. P. V. Cardon; Tillage Implements for Dry Farmers, Prof. J. C. Hogenston; Soil Fertility, Dr. F. S. Harris; Maintenance of Fertility, Dr. R. Stewart; What Dry Farming has done for Utah, Dr. J. A. Widtsoe; Demonstration of dry-farm exhibits.

Housekeepers' program—Cooking and Serving vegetables, Miss Leah Ivins; Sewing, Mrs. Rhoda B. Cook; Demonstration of Fireless Cooker, paper bag cooking, Miss Leone Cowley.

Evening program—Wonders of Southern Utah, Dean Byron Cummings. Friday Roundup program—Markets for Utah fruits, Hon. C. A. Hickenlooper; The Kind of Soil for Orchards, J. G. Duffin; Varieties of Apples, Dr. L. D. Batchelor; Pruning Apples, Prof. Wm. H. Homer; Fruit Insects, Dr. E. G. Titus; Efficiency in Spraying, Dr. E. D. Ball.

Housekeepers' program—Cooking and Serving of Milk, Eggs and Cheese, Miss Leah Ivins; Sewing, Mrs. Rhoda B. Cook; demonstrations of floor coverings and wall finishes, Miss Ivis Burnham and Miss Blanche Cooper.

Evening program—Work for boys and girls, Dr. E. G. Gowans; Farm Management, W. D. Working, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The program for today includes lectures by Miss Leah Ivins on setting the Table and How to serve a Meal, and Demonstrations of labor saving devices, by Miss Vivian Erickson, under Miss Cooper's direction. In the Men's section the following talks will be delivered: Successful Peach Growing, Hon. A. H. Snow; Control of Plant Diseases, Dr. C. N. Jensen; Advertising Utah Fruit, Hon. J. Edward Taylor, followed by pruning demonstrations.

Monday's program includes—The proper use of leftovers, by Miss Leah Ivins; Sewing by Mrs. Rhoda B. Cook; Millinery by Miss Coral Kerr; and demonstrations of textiles by Miss Eleda Nelson under the direction of Miss Florence Brown, in the Woman's building.

The Roundup program is as follows: Beef Types and Breeds, by John T. Caine, III; Principles of Feeding, Prof. Wm. Carroll; Handling Range Cattle, Mr. John Hall; Judging work with Beef Cattle will be given later in the afternoon by Professors Caine and Carroll. The evening program will consist of a lecture on Labor Saving Devices in the Home by Mrs. John A. Widtsoe, and The Farmers' and Housekeepers' Interest in Bacteria by Dr. E. G. Peterson.

GEO. H. CHAMP RETURNS HOME

George H. Champ president of the Utah Mortgage Loan Association of this city returned this week from a six week's visit to Southern California. While away Mr. Champ made his headquarters at Pasadena, where his son Fritz, who accompanied him on the trip will remain until spring. "Business conditions down there are very encouraging," said Mr. Champ. "In fact the money stringency throughout the country has not effected Los Angeles and Pasadena. In addition to their own resources tourists seem to keep these cities up. Their Banks are full of money and Los Angeles especially is improving. I am sure faster than any city in the United States." According to Mr. Champ extreme dry weather prevails in that region this winter and due largely to the lack of storm frost has taken fully 50 per cent of the orange crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Peterson of Rexburg are visiting relatives and friends in Logan.

Two Views of Editor Engaged In Lively Political Controversy.



The main point in the controversy in which Colonel Henry Watterson has become engaged over the candidacy of Woodrow Wilson for the Democratic presidential nomination is whether the colonel was authorized to solicit campaign funds for the boom. The colonel says he was. The Wilson managers say he wasn't. The controversy arose from Watterson's statement that he had talked with Thomas F. Ryan with a view of enlisting the latter's financial support for the Wilson candidacy.

ANOTHER GIRL BOBS UP IN TAYLOR CASE

Young Woman Known to Have Quarreled With Victim of Bomb Explosion.

New York, Feb. 8.—While the police were still searching for the murderer of Grace Taylor, who was killed by a bomb explosion in her Seventy-seventh street apartments last Saturday night, another young woman became implicated in the case. Her name will not be revealed until tomorrow.

Information of the most startling nature was revealed concerning this girl—she is less than twenty years of age—and the police tomorrow may attempt to obtain a detailed explanation of her relations with Grace Taylor. It is known that a young woman a dealer in underwear, who is an intimate friend of the girl, visited the Taylor apartments within an hour of the fatal explosion. And it was also revealed that a boy went to the apartments of this girl near sixty-first street and Columbus avenue within an hour after the explosion with a message from either Dickenson or Edna LeMarre, notifying her of the death of Mrs. Taylor.

Women Quarreled.

This girl, formerly an intimate associate of Mrs. Taylor, had quarreled with her. An incessant cigarette smoker, the girl had carelessly started a fire which destroyed some articles of furniture in the Taylor apartment and was ordered from the house. This was the culmination of a series of bitter arguments and was followed by acrimonious crossfire and backtalk or malicious gossip that passed between the women.

Charles M. Dickenson, the stenographer friend of Mrs. Taylor, who was arrested in the flat immediately after the explosion, will appear before Coroner Feinberg tomorrow to answer the police charge of homicide. It is believed that an adjournment may be requested.

Interview Baltimore Girl.

The girl witness, Edna LeMarre, was again questioned by the police today. Afterward he interviewed the girl known as Violette or "Olivette" Leonard. This girl is in the Magdalena home, where she was placed after it had been ascertained that she was brought from Baltimore to Mrs. Taylor's flat in West Sixtieth street by a wine and liquor salesman.

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BANDITS HOLD UP TRAIN NEAR MEMPHIS CITY

Seven Masked Bandits Stop Passenger and Blow Open Express Car Safe with Dynamite—Posse in Pursuit on Switch Engine.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 8.—Seven masked men held up Rock Island passenger train No. 43 near Hurlbut, Ark., early this morning and dynamited the safe in the express car, but it is believed, obtained only a small amount of loot.

Only meager reports had been received from the scene of the holdup, which is several miles from the nearest point of communication with Memphis, at 3 o'clock.

It is stated at the offices of the railroad, however, that the information is that the men were frightened away before they could get their plunder. None of the passengers were molested, it is said.

Stopped by Shots.

The train left Memphis shortly after midnight and crossed the bridge an hour later. Immediately after the train cleared the bridge it was stopped and within a few minutes a fusillade of shots was heard, followed by several blasts of an explosive.

Efforts to communicate with the Arkansas side of the river failed, all of the wires having been put out of commission, supposedly by the bandits.

A switch tender some distance from the scene reported the train had been held up, but beyond that fact he could give no details.

A switch engine with a posse aboard was started for the scene shortly before two o'clock.

Poses in Pursuit.
Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 7.—A report to Superintendent A. W. Copeland of the Rock Island this morning says the only thing of value the robbers got was one pouch of mail.

The Rock Island special agent with a posse left Little Rock at 2 o'clock on eastbound train No. 4 for the scene after having telegraphed to Palestine, Ark., near Hurlbut, for bloodhounds. A message received here says the dogs are not available this morning.

Special Agent Cleary was a passenger on No. 43 when it was held up the last day of last November at exactly the same spot.

A report to the Gazette at 2:40 o'clock this morning says a posse from Memphis Detective Agency which had Continued on Page 5.

MANUFACTURERS WILL EXHIBIT IN THIS CITY

The prospect of a manufacturers and Pure Food show in our city in the near future as announced in the columns of the Republican last Thursday has not only brightened but has become a reality.

Secretary Dan F. Collett of the Utah Manufacturer's Association was in Logan yesterday and in connection with local manufacturers made arrangements for a most elaborate display of Utah products all next week.

The large Dunbar-Robinson-Campbell Co., building on Main street was secured as a display house, and today will be fitted with numerous booths in order to accommodate all applicants for space.

Since the Provo show has just closed leaving all the manufacturers with choice displays practically ready for transit it is expected that all of the biggest concerns of the state will take space here.

Among those from the outside who have already made application for space are The Ogden Packing Co., of Ogden, Utah Canning Co., of Davis county, J. G. McDonald of Salt Lake City, Jensen Creamery Co., of Salt Lake City, and the Z. C. M. I. of Salt Lake City.

It was yesterday figured that at least twenty-five local concerns would enter which of course assures a successful show. No fee of entrance of exhibits will be charged and only a low charge be asked for space.

The show will open in the D. R. C. building Tuesday morning, February 13 at 9 a.m. and close Saturday evening February 17.

RELICS OF WRECKED BATTLESHIP MAINE ARRIVE AT ANNAPOLIS

Washington, Feb. 7.—The collier Leonidas has arrived at Annapolis loaded with relics of the wrecked battleship Maine, which are to be distributed among municipalities, societies, and relatives of survivors of the Maine. About 50 tons of coal which the Leonidas loaded from the wrecked battleship is being discharged at Annapolis, where it will be tested at the engineering laboratory to determine the effect upon the coal of 13 years' submersion in salt water.

The Leonidas will bring to the navy yard here the main mast of the battleship, which is to be placed in the national cemetery at Arlington over the graves of the victims of the catastrophe.

REICHSTAG IS OPENED

By Emperor William in Person. Members being Called to Palace—Demand for Additions to Military and Naval Forces.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—Emperor William in person at noon today opened the reichstag, the thirteenth assembled since the foundation of the German Empire. As is customary, instead of going to the imperial parliament, the emperor called the members to the palace where he made his speech from the throne in the great white hall. The deputies present were for the most part in uniform or court dress, but no representative of the social democratic party comprising more than one-fourth of the membership of the house put in an appearance.

Led by the oldest member of the reichstag, the radical, Albert Traeger, all the deputies joined in the customary three cheers as the emperor entered. He was attended by several of the royal princes and surrounded by all the pomp and ceremonial of a mediaeval pageant. He was preceded by tabarded heralds and gray haired generals bearing the crown and scepter, the sword of state, the imperial banner and other emblems of empire.

The emperor walked straight to the throne, mounted the dais and, placing his helmet on his head, read his speech, which he took from the hands of Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial chancellor.

The main note of the speech was the demand for additions to the military and naval forces which are considered necessary in the present international situation.

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BIG REAL ESTATE MAN OF IDAHO VISITS LOGAN

Notable among the visitors to Logan this month, whose primary object is to attend the Roundup at the Utah Agricultural College is Pres. George S. Young of the Teton stake of Zion, who is also a heavy real estate dealer in our neighbor state with his office at Driggs. Mr. Young speaks enthusiastically of the Teton country and as a dry-farming region, he holds that it is second to none in the west. The recent railroad extension there has greatly enhanced the value of all property and has drawn in hundreds of homeseekers who are prospering marvelously on their farms and ranches along the new road from Ashton to Driggs is now what can be practically termed one continuous farm. "Wheat is our chief product," says Mr. Young, "and so prolific was the crop last year that considerable of the grain is yet unthreshed. In this one locality some fifteen new steam threshers were placed last season and as many more will assist in the 1912 harvest." Speaking of the mineral wealth in the Tetons Mr. Young gives it as his opinion that it is only a matter of a short time until the Oregon Short Line Railroad Co., will extend its road and tap the mammoth beds of semi-bituminous coal in that valley.

NINETY TWO YEARS OLD TODAY

With his children and grandchildren, Mr. John Ash of Logan Second ward, who is perhaps the oldest resident of Cache County, will today celebrate his ninety-second birthday.

Mr. Ash was born in Birmingham, England, Feb. 10, 1820. He was a convert to Mormonism while yet in his teens and in the year 1856 emigrated to Utah. Being a gunsmith by trade he was employed in various parts of the state as a workman on firearms. He moved to Cache Valley in the fall of 1860 and made his home at Richmond. When it became apparent that Logan was pushing to the front in business activities Mr. Ash moved here with his family and soon after established a gun shop and supply store.

He continued his professional work until past seventy years of age, when impaired sight compelled him to retire. Mr. Ash has always been a straight forward honest dealing man and one who in his retiring years holds the respect and good will of all who know him. While not as nimble as in former years the gentleman herein mentioned is bright in intellect and today enjoys the best of health and gives every indication of a person who will become a centenarian.

MEETING TO BE HELD THURSDAY

Meeting of the Cache County Fair Association will be held next Thursday, Feb. 15th at 10 a.m. at the Commercial-Boosters Club. The association is now incorporated and ready to do business.

At this meeting forms of stock certificates, county fair passes, stationery, etc., will be presented for approval. The matter of supervisors, judges, price of admission, racing circuits, etc., will be discussed.

As this is the first Board meeting it is hoped that every director will be present.

A delightful surprise party was given Master Wilford Salisbury last evening at his home, on West Center by a number of his friends who were masked and dressed in quaint costumes. The evening was spent in playing games after which a dainty luncheon was served.

The discourse at the Presbyterian Church Sunday night will be on Christ's treatment of "The Woman Which was a sinner," the woman who anointed his feet in the house of Simon the Pharisee. This incident goes far to show us what Christ's attitude is to one of the most insistent social questions of the day. Three pictures will be shown in this connection.